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The sanctions ordered in the Microsoft case are not tough enough. Microsoft has a history of bending and breaking the laws to suit them, at the expense of their partners and competitors. The case has at least exposed some of these practices.

I think Microsoft's worse enemy in the long run is itself, however, in the meantime, the companies with new innovative ideas are at risk. I don't understand why our government, when it finally determines there is a problem, waits sooooo long to deliver the appropriate discipline. Unfortunately, by waiting they are rewarding the lawbreakers and penalizing the honest hard working American. By not doing enough to control the source of the problem early on, we only allow things to get way out of hand.